Articles of Intercourse & agreement of the Redette company commanded by J. D. Polivee Captain

The principles upon which the corps of rosettes intend to be raised are that by orders from the Secretary of war containing instructions to proceed to the frontier and harass the enemy as much as possible & collect & drive in all horses mules cattle belonging to our common enemy & spy out and ascertain their movements - for the services and the patriotic and truly determined friends of liberty who may enlist themselves in the daring & bold project of rendering our suffering country every assistance that can lay in their power by harassing our enemies on the frontier. will receive as their compensation after fulfilling the contract entered into with our Govt to supply it with at most 600 horses for the use of the cavalry. the proceeds of sale of all horses cattle mules & other property captured from the enemy which proceeds will be divided as follows. the Captain will be entitled to twelve shares the 1st Lieut six shares the 2nd Lieut four shares Ordy sergt three shares. Sergt two shares the corporal one and a half shares and all privates one share each deducting all advances made for horses arms & other necessary articles of equipment. It will be signed & enforced upon all members of the company that strict discrimination will be had in determining whether the property previous to captures belongs to friends or foe

Whereas We the undersigned members of the Redette company commanded